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		US	09/547,171	04/11/00	6,533,795	03/18/03
		US	10/352,655	01/28/03		
	Method And Apparatus For Attaching Connective Tissues to			AAR A		•
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		US	09/616,802	07/14/00	6,582,453	06/24/03
		US	10/431,621	05/07/03		
	Linear Suturing Apparatus					
OP-5	Method					07/01/07
		US	89/668,055	09/21/00	6,585,730	07/01/03
		US	10/396,655	03/25/03		
	Method And Apparatus for Attaching Connective Tissue to		•			
OP-6	Bone Using a Knotless Suture Anchoring Device		• .			00/01/03
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		US	10/690,438	10/21/03		
	Method and Apparatus For Attaching Compenier Visaces to Bone Using a Self-Locking Knotless Suture Anchoring Device					
		US	09/706,185	11/02/00	6,520,980	02/18/03
		US	10/352,657	01/28/03		
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		US	09/876,260	06/06/01	6,547,800	04/15/03
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FILING DATE: 12/20/2002

PATENT NUMBER: ISSUE DATE:

TITLE: APPARATUS FOR ATTACHING CONNECTIVE TISSUES TO BONE USING A KNOTLESS

SUTURE ANCHORING DEVICE

SERIAL NUMBER: 10750287

FILING DATE: 12/31/2003

PATENT NUMBER: ISSUE DATE:

TITLE: SINGLE-TAILED SUTURING METHOD AND APPARATUS

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FILING DATE: 01/28/2003

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SERIAL NUMBER: 10431621

FILING DATE: 05/07/2003

PATENT NUMBER:

ISSUE DATE:

TITLE: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ATTACHING CONNECTIVE TISSUES TO BONE USING

A SUTURE ANCHORING DEVICE

SERIAL NUMBER: 10396655

FILING DATE: 03/25/2003

PATENT NUMBER:

ISSUE DATE:

TITLE: LINEAR SUTURING APPARATUS AND METHODS

SERIAL NUMBER: 09668055 PATENT NUMBER: 6551330

FILING DATE: 09/21/2000

ISSUE DATE: 04/22/2003

TITLE: LINEAR SUTURING APPARATUS AND METHODS

SERIAL NUMBER: 10430961

FILING DATE: 05/06/2003

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ISSUE DATE:

TITLE: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ATTACHING CONNECTIVE TISSUES TO BONE USING

A KNOTLESS SUTURE ANCHORING DEVICE

SERIAL NUMBER: 10690438

FILING DATE: 10/21/2003

PATENT NUMBER:

ISSUE DATE:

TITLE: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ATTACHING CONNECTIVE TISSUES TO BONE USING

A PERFORATED SUTURE ANCHORING DEVICE

SERIAL NUMBER: 10352657

FILING DATE: 01/28/2003

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TITLE: APPARATUS FOR ATTACHING CONNECTIVE TISSUES TO BONE USING A SELF-

LOCKING KNOTLESS SUTURE ANCHORING DEVICE

SERIAL NUMBER: 10396886

FILING DATE: 03/25/2003

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TITLE: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ATTACHING CONNECTIVE TISSUES TO BONE USING

A CORTICAL BONE ANCHORING DEVICE

SERIAL NUMBER: 10067164

FILING DATE: 02/04/2002

PATENT NUMBER:

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TITLE: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ATTACHING CONNECTIVE TISSUES TO BONE USING

A KNOTLESS SUTURE ANCHORING DEVICE

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FILING DATE: 10/21/2003

PATENT NUMBER:

ISSUE DATE:

TITLE: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ATTACHING CONNECTIVE TISSUES TO BONE USING

A SUTURE ANCHORING DEVICE

SERIAL NUMBER: 09781793

FILING DATE: 02/12/2001

PATENT NUMBER:

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TITLE: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ATTACHING CONNECTIVE TISSUES TO BONE USING

A KNOTLESS SUTURE ANCHORING DEVICE

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TITLE: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ATTACHING CONNECTIVE TISSUES TO BONE USING

A KNOTLESS SUTURE ANCHORING DEVICE

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TITLE: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ATTACHING CONNECTIVE TISSUES TO BONE USING

A KNOTLESS SUTURE ANCHORING DEVICE

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A KNOTLESS SUTURE ANCHORING DEVICE

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TITLE: BONE ANCHOR INSERTION DEVICE

SERIAL NUMBER: 10452889 FILING DATE: 06/02/2003

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TITLE: PERCUTANEOUS SUTURING APPARATUS AND METHOD

SERIAL NUMBER: 10299171 FILING DATE: 11/19/2002

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TITLE: SUTURE CAPTURE DEVICE

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TITLE: SUTURE CAPTURE DEVICE

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TITLE: HIGH PERFORMANCE SUTURE

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TITLE: OPTIMIZED SUTURE BRAID

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TITLE: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ATTACHING CONNECTIVE TISSUES TO BONE USING A SUTURE ANCHORING DEVICE

SERIAL NUMBER: 09651253 FILING DATE: 08/30/2000 PATENT NUMBER: 6585730 FILING DATE: 07/01/2003

TITLE: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ATTACHING CONNECTIVE TISSUES TO BONE USING A KNOTLESS SUTURE ANCHORING DEVICE

SERIAL NUMBER: 09687185 FILING DATE: 10/13/2000 PATENT NUMBER: 6652561 ISSUE DATE: 11/25/2003

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SERIAL NUMBER: 09706185 FILING DATE: 11/02/2000 PATENT NUMBER: 6520980 ISSUE DATE: 02/18/2003

TITLE: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ATTACHING CONNECTIVE TISSUES TO BONE USING A SELF-LOCKING KNOTLESS SUTURE ANCHORING DEVICE

SERIAL NUMBER: 09876260 FILING DATE: 06/06/2001 PATENT NUMBER: 6547800 FILING DATE: 04/15/2003

TITLE: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ATTACHING CONNECTIVE TISSUES TO BONE USING A CORTICAL BONE ANCHORING DEVICE

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WHEREAS, I, MINH TRAN of the City of Fountain Valley, State of California, have invented certain new and useful improvements in

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for which the said MINH TRAN executed application papers for a patent application having been filed on October 13, 2000, and assigned United States Serial Number 09/687,185; and

WHEREAS, OPUS MEDICAL, INC., a California corporation, hereinafter called Assignee, having its place of business at 27127 Calle Arroyo, Suite 1924, San Juan Capistrano, CA 92675, is desirous of acquiring our entire right, title and interest in and to the aforesaid invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent therefor granted in the United States of America, and in any and all countries foreign thereto;

NOW, THEREFORE, TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, be it known that, for and in consideration of the sum of ONE DOLLAR (\$1.00) to me in hand paid by Assignee, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, I, MINH TRAN by these presents sell, assign and transfer unto Assignee, its successors and assigns, the full and exclusive right, title and interest for the territory of the United States of America and all countries foreign thereto (including the right to apply for Letters Patent in foreign countries in its own name and to claim any priority rights for such foreign applications to which such applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties, or otherwise), in and to the said invention as described in said application, and in and to all Letters Patent granted therefor, and all divisions, reissues and continuations thereof, and I

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hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all Letters Patent on said inventions or resulting therefrom to said Assignee, as assignee of my entire right, title and interest, and I covenant that I have full right so to do and agree that I will communicate to said Assignee, or its successors any and all facts known to us regarding said invention whenever requested, and will testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, reissue and continuation applications, and generally do everything possible to aid said Assignee, its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said invention in all countries.

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